

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
SAFETY AND INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS: You must show the examiner proof of current liability insurance for the test vehicle before the start of your driving test.

VEHICLE EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS: Before starting the driving test the examiner will inspect your vehicle for compliance with equipment requirements. If your vehicle does not pass this inspection, the driving test will be postponed until you return in a vehicle that meets legal requirements.

Inspect passenger cars for:

- () Headlamps (for bright and dim)
- () Two tail lamps (one for 1959 models or earlier)
- () Two stop lamps (one for 1959 models or earlier)
- () Turn signals (1960 or later models)
- () Horn
- () Inspection certificate
- () Exhaust system
- () Two license plates (front plate must be mounted to bumper)
- () Windshield wiper
- () Rearview mirror
- () Safety belts
- () Approved glass coating material (if applicable)
- () Proof of insurance

In addition, inspect trucks and buses 80" or more in width (as shown in driver handbook) for:

- () Full service brake (foot brake)
- () Parking brake
- () Reflectorized triangles (if required)
- () Clearance lamps
- () Side marker lamps
- () Side reflectors
- () Turn signals (all models)
- () Mud flaps (4 or more tires on rear axle)
- () Hazardous warning lamps
- () Fire extinguisher (if required)
- () "School Bus" sign 8" in height on front and rear of bus (when in use as school bus)

If you use a rental vehicle for the test: The person taking the driving test must be listed on the rental agreement as an authorized driver. You must show proof that the rental vehicle is covered by liability insurance either by accepting the liability damage waiver when you rent the vehicle or by showing proof that your personal auto liability insurance covers rental vehicles.